

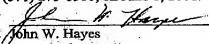
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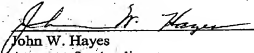
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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Dear Sir:

The Applicants in the above-captioned matter hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the final rejection of claims 1, 3, 4, 7 through 18, 34, 36, 37, 39, and 40. A Credit Card Payment Form is submitted herewith authorizing a charge of \$500.00 to cover the Notice of Appeal fee.

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